

COUNCIL CHAMBERS -- CITY COUNCIL  
CITY HALL -- CITY OF LODI  
Monday, December 6, 1932

The City Council of the City of Lodi met in regular session at 8 o'clock P.M. on the date first above written, Councilmen Clark, Keagle, Spooner, Weihe and Steele present, none absent.

The minutes of the last meeting held November 21, 1932 were read, approved as read and so endorsed by the Mayor.

No persons appearing at this time, the order of Public Hearings was passed and the Council proceeded to hear communications and reports :

(1) The report of the Chief of Police for the month of November; ordered to the files;

(2) The report of the City Poundmaster for November, likewise ordered filed;

(3) An application from W.A. Morrison and John Peters for a street light at the intersection of Maple and Garfield Streets; ordered installed on motion of Councilman Weihe, Clark second;

(4) A communication from A.A. Ludwigs, stating that he had been overcharged for water for twenty-seven months; on statement of the Clerk that these premises had been rated for years as two flats but that he believed that this rate was not applicable to Mr Ludwigs whose family occupied the place as a single family dwelling, a refund of twelve dollars was ordered;

(5) A letter enclosing a copy of a suggested resolution, from Hollis R. Thompson of the Committee on Gasoline taxes of the League of California Municipalities; ordered laid over until further information could be obtained

(6) A suggestion submitted by the Clerk as coming from Mr Christian Rageth, that some unemployed laborers be put to work spading ash and sludge around the trees bordering the City parks; referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Weihe stated that Lodi Business Men's Association desired the City to share more extensively than in previous years in decorating the down-town district for the Christmas holidays. After some discussion, it was the sense of the Council that the money could be used to better advantage in the relief of distress.

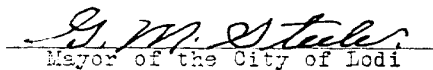
ORDINANCE No. 194 " AN ORDINANCE FIXING WATER RATES AND REPEALING CERTAIN ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES" was introduced on motion of Councilman Keagle, Spooner second, and by the same motion, laid over for the statutory period of not less than five days.

After considerable time spent in considering the present unemployment situation, the matter was again referred to the Committee on Streets for the formation of a definite plan of operation under Councilman Spooner's suggested operation of street cleaning work.

At 9.55 o'clock, the Council was resolved into Committee of the Whole for consultation with City Attorney West. At 10.25 o'clock P.M., open meeting was resumed and the Council thereafter adjourned on motion of Councilman Weihe.

  
City Clerk

The foregoing minutes read and approved, December 11, 1932

  
Mayor of the City of Lodi

December 21, 1932